



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: **Thomas J. BRENNAN**

Serial No.: **09/903,376**

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Title: **Transgenic Mice Containing 5-HT2B  
Gene Disruptions**

Group Art Unit: **1632**

Examiner: **Paras Jr., Peter**

Customer No. **26619**

Docket/Order No. **R-599**

Date: **February 20, 2004**

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
**Mail Stop Non Fee Amendment**  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 20, 2003 in connection with the above-identified application, Applicant requests entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks. Applicant submits concurrently herewith a Petition for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for response to the Office Action for a period of three (3) months from November 20, 2003 up to and including February 20, 2004.

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